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Applicants:

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Washington, DC 20231

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Attention: Refund Section 20231 on December, 14, 2001

Accounting Division/Office of Finance

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## ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS AND REQUEST FOR REFUND

Sir:

Applicant hereby asserts that Applicant is a Small Entity (37 C.F.R. §1.9(f) and §1.27(d)). Accordingly, the Applicant is entitled to the PTO reduced fee schedule.

A filing fee of \$824.00 was paid pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.492(a)(5) on November 14, 2001. It is respectfully requested that, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.28, a refund be made for \$412.00 to our Deposit Account No. 08-2461 because of Q-Set Research and Development

Limited's small entity status. This request is being made within two (2) months of the overpayment. A duplicate copy of this Request is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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